

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

H. Kohler et al.

:

Serial No: 10/652,864 : Art Unit: 1643

1110 01110. 1011

Filed: August 29, 2003 : Examiner: P. Tungaturthi

:

For: THERAPEUTIC APPLICATIONS OF: Confirmation No: 1487

NONCOVALENT DIMERIZING ANTIBODIES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT-SECOND

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Preliminary Amendment is filed concurrent with a Response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 4, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.